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### DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

**PATENT** 

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### Prior Foreign Application(s)

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